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**Docket No.: VER-194XX** 

Sir:

In re application of: Willem Ferdinand Nieuwenhuizen

## Entitled: SPHINGOLIPIDS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE COMPOSITION OF THE INTESTINAL FLORA

Transmitted herewith is an **amendment** in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- [] This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$\_\_\_\_\_) for the cost of same per §1.17(e).
  - [] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ per §1.116.
- [] Small Entity Status is asserted.
- [X] A Petition for Extension of Time for **two months** is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$490.00) for the cost of such extension per §1.17.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- [] Other:

| CLAIMS AFTER<br>AMENDMENT:  | MINUS PRIOR<br>PAID CLAIMS: | EQUALS PRESENT<br>EXTRA CLAIMS: | RATE:        | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE: |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| Independent   | 3 - 4                       | = 0                             | x \$220.00 = | 0.00               |
| Total   | 22 - 22                     | = 0                             | x \$52.00 =  | 0.00               |
| [] Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation) + \$390.00 =            |                             |                                 |              | 0.00               |
| SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE   |                             |                                 |              | 0.00               |
| Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted. |                             |                                 |              |                    |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE  |                             |                                 |              | 0.00               |

- [X] No additional fee. [] The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$\_\_\_\_\_\_) for the cost of same.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

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